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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 25, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1 and 6-11, and having a shortened period for response set to expire on January 25, 2006, Applicants hereby submit the following Amendment and accompanying remarks with the RCE attached herewith. Reconsideration of the application in view of the Amendment is respectfully requested.

Listing and Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.